

More Bicycle Information

Delaware Bicycle Council maintains the most current links to bicycle information. For more information about the Bicycle Council and bicycling information in Delaware, visit: <http://bike.deldot.gov>

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Bikes on Transit

DART First State Bike and Bus
www.delbart.com • (800) 682-DAIRT
 The 301 bus carries bicycles between Dover, Smyrna and Wilmington. This service is especially convenient for cyclists wanting to take one-way bike trips into the southern part of the county from Wilmington. The bus travels on Delaware Route 1, stopping at select park and ride lots as noted on the map. Bicycles may be placed in the luggage bay of the bus. The one-way fare between Wilmington and Dover is \$4.50. The 305 bus offers service between Wilmington and Rehoboth Beach Friday through Sunday in season. In addition, all DAIRT buses in Delaware have bicycle racks mounted on the front of buses.

DART's Pedal and Park Program
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 Bike lockers are available at several park and ride locations. When you can't take your bike on a bus, and you don't want to bike all the way to work, you can park your bike in a secure locker. There is a \$10/day deposit for this service.

SEPTA Regional Rail, R2 Line
www.septa.org • (215) 580-7800
 SEPTA carries bicycles on all off-peak direction trains. The R2 line from Philadelphia serves Claymont, Wilmington, Churchtown Crossing (Parsippany) and Newark. Saturday service only stops at Claymont and Wilmington. There is no Sunday service.

Antrak
www.antrak.com • (800) USA-RAIL
 Certain Antrak trains have baggage cars and carry board bicycles for a fee from Wilmington Train Station. The Twilight Shoreliner has bicycle racks and carries un-loaded bicycles for a \$5 fee. Otherwise, bicycle boxes are available at the Wilmington Station for \$12.

Greyhound and Peter Pan Bus Service
www.greyhound.com • (800) 231-2322
 These bus companies carry bicycles between Wilmington, New York, Washington and certain points in New England on a space available basis. The front wheel must be removed and bicycles may need to be boxed if there is limited space.

Crossing the Delaware by bus or ferry

Three Ferries
www.threeferries.com • (302) 534-7941
 The Three Ferries ferry runs seasonally between Delaware's City and Fort Mill, NJ during the months of April through September. The ferry runs Wednesday through Sunday. Groups of 6 or more must call ahead to notify the crew. This is the only way crossing between south of Philadelphia and north of Lewes DE. The round trip fare is \$6 for adults, \$4 for children. Bicycles are not allowed on Fox Patch Island.

Cape May - Lewes Ferry (Season: County)
www.capemay-lewesferry.com • (800) 64-FERRY
 In NJ: (609) 986-1225
 In DE: (302) 426-1155

New Jersey Transit Buses • www.njtransit.com
 609-963-3734
 New Jersey Transit bus route 420 carries bicycles on weekdays (3-4 round trips). In Wilmington, the bus stop at Rodney Square and the Wilmington Bus Terminal. In New Jersey, the bus stops at the Portsmith Shopping Center.

Bikes on buses, trains and ferries

- Squeeze handle and pull down rack
- Place bike in rack slot
- Grasp Support arm and pull over tire
- Place bike in rack slot

Strapping a bicycle on a ferry is a lot less expensive than a car and can be a lot of fun!



Have Fun. Curb Your Car.

It's easy to live a car-free, or even car-free, lifestyle in Delaware if you use your bicycle and these tips to start down the path to a healthier, more efficient form of travel.

1. Plan your route on the Delaware Bicycle Maps and draw a circle with one- or two-mile radius around it. Use a highlighter to mark places inside the circle that you regularly visit.
2. Choose a familiar place and by bicycling rather than driving. See if you can find a comfortable route and secure parking. Add a new location every 1-2 weeks.
3. See if you can find a closer destination for errands that fall outside your circle. By slowly increasing the number of bicycle trips and incorporating errands or using a car-sharing program, you'll be living car-free in no time!

(Adapted from www.BikeNow.org)



Bicycle Map

Sussex County



Lewes & Rehoboth Beach Area

Delaware Bay
Atlantic Ocean
Rehoboth Bay

Map labels include: LEWES, REHOBOTH BEACH, DEWEY BEACH, OCEAN VIEW, MILLVILLE, BETHANY BEACH, SOUTH BETHANY, LITTLE BAY, Indian River Inlet, Cape Henlopen State Park, Garden Pond, MIDDLETON ACRES.

Rehoboth Beach Access

1A ONLY
1B KEEP RIGHT
 1 MILE

Bethany Beach Area

Indian River Bay
Atlantic Ocean
Little Bay

Map labels include: BETHANY BEACH, SOUTH BETHANY, MILLVILLE, OCEAN VIEW, Indian River Inlet, Delaware State Park, Garden Pond, MIDDLETON ACRES.

Statewide Bicycle Route
 These routes are north-south connections between New Castle, Kent and Sussex Counties.
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Regional Bicycle Route
 These routes provide direct connections between major municipalities and nearby centers.
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Connector Bicycle Route
 These routes provide connections from local activity and institutional centers to the larger bicycle network.
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Trails
 Off-Road Trails Designated Off-Road Trails
 Please see DMREC trail maps at delawaretrail.com

Bicycling in Delaware

This map series is just one step that the Delaware Department of Transportation (DelDOT) is taking to encourage all modes of transportation. It features a network of State, regional, and connector routes to help cyclists get where they need to go. All roads in the state of Delaware, except limited access or express state highways (which includes I-95 and the Delaware Memorial Bridge), may be traveled by bicycle.

DelDOT has several road improvement projects and studies to make bicycling and walking safer and more pleasant. These are listed online at deldot.gov/information/projects/. Any new roadway project in Delaware needs to accommodate bicyclists and pedestrians.

Along with road improvements, initiatives going on in the state include:

- Delaware Bicycle Facility Master Plan
- Bicycle Safety Checks
- May Bike Month
- Cyclists Ahead Bicycle Helmet Program

Learn more about Delaware's active bicycling community of shops, clubs, and advocacy organizations by visiting DelDOT's bicycling webpage: bike.deldot.gov

Have fun bicycling!

Safety

The Helmet Law
 Children under the age of 18 are required to wear a bicycle helmet while bicycling on a public road. The helmet law also applies to children who are riding a bicycle to school. Parents are encouraged to buy their children's helmets and to make sure they are properly fitted. For more information, contact the DelDOT Bicycle Coordinator at 302-761-8186.

Get There Safely. Know your responsibilities.
 Be the driver. Don't assume motorists can see you. Never ride against traffic. Use Caution, Control, Common sense. Follow signs and signals.

Ride with traffic
 Wear a helmet
 Use lights at night
 Wear bright clothing

Headlights
 Front light
 Rear light

Hand signals
 Stop
 Right turn
 Left turn

Right of Way
 Yield to pedestrians
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SUSSEX COUNTY DELAWARE

BICYCLE MAP

Bicycling Routes

Statewide Bicycle Route
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Regional Bicycle Route
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Connector Bicycle Route
These routes provide connections from local activity and recreational centers to the larger bicycle network.

* Bikeways include shoulders and wide outside lanes, which may or may not be marked and signed as bike routes. Be alert for occasional turn lanes in these areas.

Trails

American Discovery Trail
Unpaved Off-Road Trail
On-Road Trail

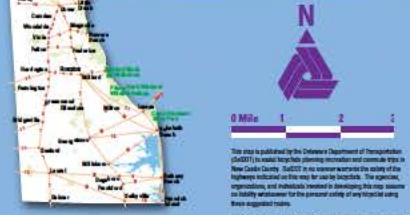
Please see DMACC Trail map at <http://data.delaware.gov/dmacc-trail-map/>

Areas

County
Wildlife Area
Park
Other
Cemetery
River

Other Features

Site Stop
Park & Ride
Ferry
College/University



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Bicyclists have the same rights and responsibilities as motor vehicle operators in other traffic laws. Be prepared to make your own assessment of traffic and road conditions, and plan routes appropriate to your riding skills.

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Atlantic Ocean